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SUBJECT: NIGER REQUEST TO UN FOR SPECIAL FOODSTUFF AND PESTICIDE
ASSISTANCE

1. ACCORDING TO UN PRESS OFFICER AT MARCH 1 BRIEFING, DURING
APPOINTMENT WITH SYG WALDHEIM, NIGER AMBASSADOR DELIVERED TO
SYG COMMUNICATION INDICATING ACUTE FOOD SHORTAGE IN NIGER AND ASKED
FOR URGENT UN HELP IN THE FORM OF 200,000 TONS OF GRAIN AND
\$2.7 MILLION FOR PESTICIDES, RELECTING LOSS OF FOODSTUFFS
CAUSED BY RATS AND PESTS.

2. WALDHEIM INTENDS TO REFER MATTER TO WORLD FOOD PROGRAM
AND UNITED NATIONS DISASTER RELIEF ORGANIZATION, NOT UNITED
NATIONS SAHELIAN OFFICE WHICH PRESS OFFICER INDICATED HANDLES
DROUGHT-RELATED ACTIVITIES ONLY.

3. SUBJECT MATTER APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN DEALT WITH IN DIFFERENT
FASHION PER FAO PRESS RELEASE (FAO/2654, MARCH 1, 1976), WHICH
INDICATED FAO ENDORSED APPEAL BY WEST-CENTRAL AFRICAN
COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY NIGER AND MAURITANIA, FOR A \$5.0 MILLION
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PROGRAM TO FIGHT PEST INFESTATION.

4. USUN WILL SEEK ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND AND DETAILS.

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